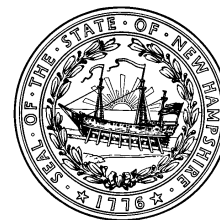


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## **NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – February 18, 2021**

**Concord, NH** – The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has issued the following update on the new coronavirus, COVID-19.

On Thursday, February 18, 2021, DHHS announced 461 new positive test results for COVID-19, for a current PCR test positivity rate of 3.2%. Today's results include 317 people who tested positive by PCR test and 144 who tested positive by antigen test. There are now 3,048 current COVID-19 cases diagnosed in New Hampshire. Of the results reported today:

- **2/17: 461** new cases

Several cases are still under investigation. Additional information from ongoing investigations will be incorporated into future COVID-19 updates. Of those with complete information, there are sixty-four individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 51% being female and 49% being male. The new cases reside in Grafton (89), Rockingham (80), Strafford (67), Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (57), Merrimack (36), Cheshire (26), Coos (10), Carroll (9), Sullivan (7), and Belknap (5) counties, and in the cities of Manchester (35) and Nashua (24). The county of residence is being determined for sixteen new cases.

Community-based transmission continues to occur in the State and has been identified in all counties. Of those with complete risk information, most of the cases have either had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis, are associated with an outbreak setting, or have recently traveled.

DHHS has also announced two additional deaths related to COVID-19. We offer our sympathies to the family and friends.

- 1 female resident of Hillsborough County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 female resident of Rockingham County, 60 years of age and older

There are currently 126 individuals hospitalized with COVID-19. In New Hampshire since the start of the pandemic, there have been a total of 72,399 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed.

### **Current Situation in New Hampshire**

#### **New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (updated February 18, 2021, 9:00 AM)**

NH Persons with COVID-19	72,399
Recovered	68,201 (94%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	1,150 (2%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	3,048

Current Hospitalizations	126
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) <sup>2</sup>	618,903
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Antibody Laboratory Tests <sup>2</sup>	37,290
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	68,099
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL <sup>3</sup>	840

<sup>1</sup>Includes specimens positive at any laboratory and those confirmed by CDC confirmatory testing.

<sup>2</sup>Includes specimens tested at the NH Public Health Laboratories (PHL), LabCorp, Quest, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, and those sent to CDC prior to NH PHL testing capacity.

<sup>3</sup>Includes specimens received and awaiting testing at NH PHL. Does not include tests pending at commercial laboratories.

## New Hampshire Institutions Associated with COVID-19 Outbreak (as of 2/18/2021)

Current COVID-19 Outbreaks	Resident Cases	Staff Cases	Under Investigation	Deaths
Applewood Rehabilitation Center	18	17	0	1
Birch Hill	3	13	0	0
Carroll County Department of Corrections	3	10	0	0
Dover Center for Health and Rehabilitation	69	36	0	10
Langdon Place of Nashua	19	18	0	2
Merrimack County Nursing Home	45	50	0	8
Mt. Carmel Rehabilitation and Nursing	8	7	0	0
NH State Prison - Men's	266	75	0	1
St. Vincent Rehabilitation and Nursing Center	35	15	0	2
Sullivan County Department of Corrections	33	12	0	0
Sullivan County Nursing Home	117	42	0	3

Closed COVID-19 Outbreaks	Resident Cases	Staff Cases	Deaths
All American Assisted Living Londonderry (6/9/2020)	15	16	2
The Arbors at Bedford (2/7/2021)	47	18	22
Aurora Assisted Living Derry (6/6/2020)	38	17	10
Aurora Assisted Living Derry (1/21/2020)	13	17	0
Bedford Falls (6/6/2020)	40	21	11
Bedford Hills Center Genesis (7/16/2020)	37	25	7
Bedford Hills Center Genesis (11/19/2020)	61	20	19
Bedford Hills Center Genesis (1/6/2021)	3	6	0
Bedford Nursing and Rehabilitation Center (7/7/2020)	62	28	17
Bel-Air Nursing Home and Rehab Center (2/1/2021)	22	8	0
Bellamy Fields Dover (5/16/2020)	35	13	10
Bentley Commons at Bedford (2/4/2021)	21	13	2
Birch Hill (7/30/2020)	40	29	14
Calumet Transitional Housing Unit - NHDHC (2/3/2021)	14	5	0
Carriage Hill Assisted Living (2/13/2021)	13	9	3
Clipper Harbor Genesis Portsmouth (5/29/2020)	0	8	0
Clipper Harbor/Cedar Healthcare Center (1/24/2021)	32	16	7
Colonial Poplin Nursing & Rehabilitation (12/22/2020)	19	10	0
Colonial Poplin Nursing & Rehabilitation (1/15/2021)	4	1	0

Community Bridges Belmont (6/9/2020)	2	7	0
Community Bridges Concord (2/2/2021)	5	10	0
Community Resources for Justice Transitional Housing Manchester (5/18/2020)	16	4	0
Coos County Nursing Hospital (12/30/2020)	64	71	13
Country Village Center (2/17/2021)	47	20	12
Courville at Bedford - Carlyle Place (1/6/2021)	20	10	7
Courville Manchester (6/30/2020)	15	14	6
Crestwood Center Milford (6/30/2020)	54	28	15
Crestwood Center Milford (1/18/2021)	26	13	3
Crotched Mountain (4/20/2020)	3	12	1
Easterseals - Manchester (5/16/2020)	45	70	0
Edgewood Centre Portsmouth (2/16/2021)	28	21	2
Elms Center (1/11/2021)	31	14	10
Epsom Healthcare (1/18/2021)	66	30	8
Evergreen Place Manchester (9/3/2020)	27	16	7
Evergreen Place Manchester (12/22/2020)	3	2	0
Fairview Senior Living (1/12/2021)	89	54	11
Golden View Health Care Meredith (1/24/2021)	77	52	12
Grace House Windham (12/30/2020)	14	12	0
Green Mountain Treatment Center (1/8/2021)	68	38	0
Greenbriar (8/21/2020)	124	34	28
Greystone Farm at Salem (6/16/2020)	9	3	0
Greystone Farms (1/25/2021)	2	7	0
Hackett Hill Genesis Manchester (6/5/2020)	56	16	16
Hackett Hill Genesis Manchester (12/18/2020)	1	4	0
Hanover Hill Manchester (5/26/2020)	79	60	25
Hanover Hill Manchester (1/11/2021)	22	11	3
Hanover Terrace Health and Rehabilitation Center (1/22/2021)	71	40	7
Harbor Care Chestnut Street Group Home (2/2/2021)	4	2	0
Harmony Homes by the Bay (2/7/2021)	38	15	3
Harris Hill Center (1/21/2021)	22	17	3
Hillsborough County House of Corrections (2/11/2021)	114	54	0
Hillsborough County Nursing Home (7/27/2020)	154	55	39
Hillsborough County Nursing Home (2/15/2021)	100	64	13
Holy Cross Manchester (7/15/2020)	19	18	1
Huntington Nashua (5/8/2020)	23	19	7
Institute for Professional Practice, Inc (4/21/2020)	2	6	1
Keene Center (2/17/2021)	101	38	10
Kendal at Hanover (2/8/2021)	4	7	1
Keystone Hall, Cynthia Day Program (1/20/2021)	19	6	0
Kimi Nichols Center Plaistow (6/10/2020)	3	6	0
Lafayette Center (2/6/2021)	18	11	1
Lakes Region Community Services Fairview Home (1/14/2021)	7	13	1
Langdon Place of Exeter (2/17/2021)	14	8	2
Ledgewood Bay Assisted Living (2/16/2021)	17	16	3
Maple Leaf Healthcare Center (12/18/2020)	93	70	10

Meredith Bay Colony Club (1/26/2021)	23	13	2
Merrimack County Jail (1/22/2021)	36	15	0
Mt. Carmel Nursing and Rehabilitation Manchester (6/26/2020)	38	16	5
Mount Prospect Academy Plymouth (12/18/2020)	14	28	0
Mt. Prospect Academy Seacoast Treatment & Stabilization Center (1/10/2021)	9	8	0
Mountain Ridge Genesis Franklin (6/18/2020)	49	21	9
Mountain View Community Ossipee (10/7/2020)	4	8	1
Nashua Crossings Benchmark (1/25/2021)	49	28	7
NH Correctional Facility for Women (2/12/2021)	26	11	0
NH Veterans' Home (1/25/2021)	93	102	36
Northern NH Correctional Facility – Berlin (2/3/2021)	129	30	1
Oceanside Center - Genesis (12/16/2020)	44	27	11
Pheasant Wood Center (1/5/2021)	32	2	7
Pine Rock Manor Warner (11/19/2020)	48	14	8
Pines of Newmarket (1/24/2021)	28	13	8
Pleasant Valley Derry (5/27/2020)	87	29	21
Pleasant View Nursing Home (1/26/2021)	94	49	22
Prospect Woodward Home at Hillside Village Keene (12/16/2020)	14	9	1
Residence at Salem Woods (1/11/2021)	1	1	0
Ridgewood Genesis Bedford (6/18/2020)	64	23	23
Ridgewood Genesis Bedford (8/12/2020)	2	9	0
Ridgewood Genesis Bedford (12/13/2020)	3	5	0
Rivermead Peterborough (1/22/2021)	5	8	0
Riverside Rest Home (2/17/2021)	96	79	9
Rockingham County Nursing and Rehab (1/23/2021)	3	15	0
Rockingham County House of Corrections (9/13/2020)	11	1	0
St. Anne's Rehabilitation and Nursing Center Dover (12/22/2020)	17	16	0
St. Francis Rehabilitation and Nursing Center (1/29/2021)	37	26	15
St. Joseph's Residence Manchester (12/22/2020)	11	11	2
St. Teresa Rehabilitation and Nursing Center Manchester (12/3/2020)	31	18	9
Salem Woods (5/18/2020)	23	26	10
Salemhaven (7/9/2020)	46	15	11
Secure Psychiatric Unit, NH Department of Corrections (1/25/2021)	20	10	0
Strafford County Jail (2/12/2021)	127	14	0
Studley Home Assisted Living Facility Rochester (12/16/2020)	30	4	2
Summerhill Assisted Living (2/17/2021)	14	13	2
Villa Crest Manchester (7/1/2020)	54	45	15
Warde Health Center Windham (10/22/2020)	3	2	0
Warde Health Center Windham (1/5/2021)	23	14	2
Wentworth Senior Living (1/18/2021)	11	6	1
Woodcrest Village Assisted Living (2/12/2021)	21	17	3
Woodlawn Care Center Newport (12/10/2020)	33	24	4

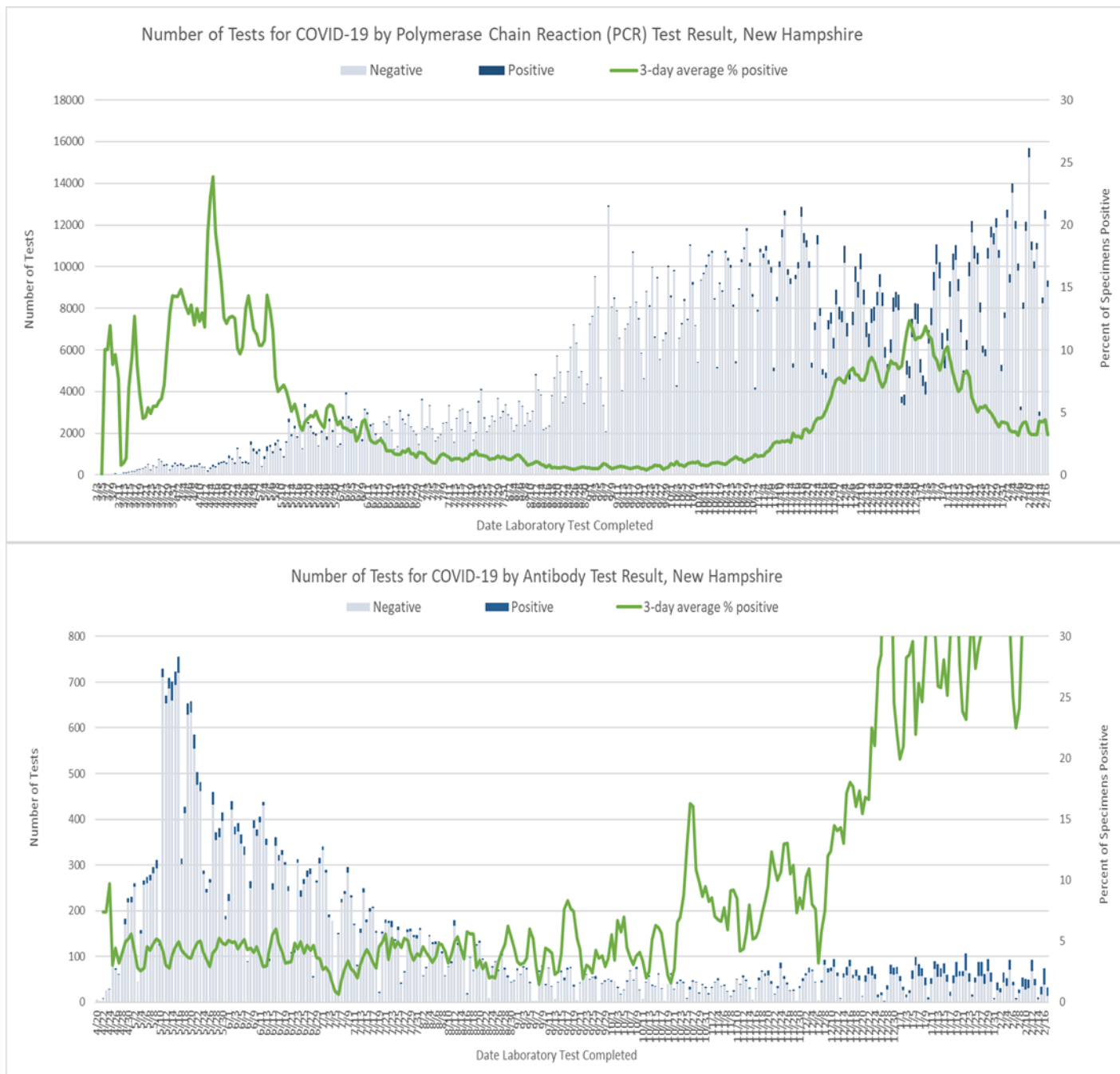
## Number of Tests Conducted by Date of Report to NH DHHS

Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) Tests								
Testing Laboratory	2/11	2/12	2/13	2/14	2/15	2/16	2/17	Daily Average
NH Public Health Laboratories	813	574	640	42	36	92	770	424
LabCorp	730	602	454	494	467	716	638	586
Quest Diagnostics	611	663	685	566	212	595	601	562
Mako Medical	235	152	11	136	301	377	29	177
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	544	389	400	287	267	664	7	365
NorDX Laboratory	571	343	131	74	58	690	384	322
Broad Institute	2,640	2,613	5,350	870	2,640	4,846	2,852	3,116
Other NH Hospital Laboratory	431	413	289	243	379	406	267	347
Other Laboratory*	460	362	236	283	287	405	136	310
University of New Hampshire**	4,163	4,143	2,924	54	3,877	3,912	3,634	3,244
Total	11,198	10,254	11,120	3,049	8,524	12,703	9,318	9,452
Antibody Laboratory Tests								
Testing Laboratory	2/11	2/12	2/13	2/14	2/15	2/16	2/17	Daily Average
LabCorp	10	11	9	2	2	31	8	10
Quest Diagnostics	16	52	21	6	1	25	14	19
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	9	8	4	1	8	3	0	5
NorDX Laboratory	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Other Laboratory*	9	10	13	0	11	9	2	8
Total	44	82	47	9	22	69	24	42

\* Includes out-of-state public health laboratories, out-of-state hospital laboratories, and other commercial laboratories not already listed in the table.

Note: Patients who had both antibody and polymerase chain reaction (PCR) tests are accounted for in both tables.

\*\* Includes tests conducted at the UNH laboartory and their contracted lab Veritas.



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